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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Deliberately eliminating competition is destructive to the consumer. Everyone is a consumer. Allowing a few companies to have a monopoly on a service, is only good for those few. Is the FCC not to be impartial? Is the FCC government appointed?
ATT raised my rates until I could not afford to have them for my ISP. If it were not for Socket, I would not have internet, which is no longer a luxury. It is a necessity. I need Socket.

Thank you for your consideration,

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